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**VIA EMAIL**

Ms. Gloria Blue  
Executive Secretary, TPSC  
Office of the USTR  
600 17th Street, N. W.  
Washington, DC 20508

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Re: P - Potential Action under Section 203 of the Trade Act of 1974  
with Regard to Imports of Certain Steel

Dear Ms. Blue:

On behalf of our client, Gerdau MRM Steel, we hereby submit the following responses to questions raised by the TPSC during our meeting in Washington, DC, on January 11, 2002. This submission also relates to the pending exclusion requests filed on behalf of MRM on November 13, 2001 in the captioned investigation. In accordance with the *Federal Register* notice of October 26, 2001 (66 Fed. Reg. 54321) we enclose a proprietary document and a public version of MRM's response.

We request proprietary treatment for bracketed data in the enclosed document. This proprietary information proprietary specifications, and volume and value data that are not otherwise publicly available. All such data have been deleted from the public version of this confidential filing.

During the TPSC meeting of January 11, 2002, MRM was asked to provide additional information to the U.S. Government concerning the following:

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Please contact me if you have any questions concerning these exclusion requests.

Sincerely yours,

Peter A. Martin

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Enclosures